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EVENTS CALENDAR

26th Annual IGSHPA Conference & Expo Oct 9-10

Seven days until the **2013 IGSHPA Conference & Expo!** Register NOW at www.igshpaconference.com or at the conference.

Conference Booth Space Opportunities

It's not too late to [sign up](#) for a booth at the 2013 IGSHPA Technical Conference & Expo! You can take a look at the [conference floor plan](#) and select your booth space. Don't miss the opportunity to showcase your business! The expo hall will be opened to the public Wednesday, October 9th 10:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m. and Thursday, October 10th 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Guidebook Makes IGSHPA Conference and Expo Mobile

For all of you mobile device users, IGSHPA now has an app for the conference! The [Guidebook's app](#) sponsored by Bosch is free and will let you see the conference schedule, maps and all program information. The conference [program](#) is also still online. So either way, check out the informative offerings in Las Vegas designed to benefit your business and career.

Advisory Council and Committee Meetings

The IGSHPA Advisory Council and Committee meetings taking place on Oct. 8, 2013, in the **Monterey Bay Room** at the South Point Hotel have been scheduled. All IGSHPA members are invited and encouraged to attend these meetings. Your input is important to the association and your participation gives you the chance to be a part of IGSHPA's decision making.

- Marketing/Membership Committee - 8-9 a.m.
- Research Committee - 9-10 a.m.
- Standards Committee - 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.
- Training Committee - 1:30-3 p.m.
- Advisory Council - 3:30-5 p.m.

Green Architect Eric Corey Freed to Be Conference Keynote Speaker



Freed is the founder of [organicARCHITECT](#), an organic architecture and consulting firm in California and has more than 20 years of experience in green building. For a preview see National Driller's Q & A article below in Geothermal News.

Bosch's Soper to Speak

Regional President of Bosch Thermotechnology North America, Richard Soper, will speak for Platinum Sponsor Bosch in the opening session of the 2013 IGSHPA Conference & Expo in Las Vegas, NV. Soper, who is tasked with strategy, business development, engineering sales and financial control of Bosch Thermotechnology (TT) North America, came to North

Oct 7-10, 2013

[Accredited Installer Workshop & Conference](#)
Las Vegas, NV

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[Accredited Driller Workshop & Conference](#)
Las Vegas, NV

Oct 7-10, 2013

[Certified GeoExchange Plus Course & Conference](#)
Las Vegas, NV

Oct 7-8, 2013

[Building Load Analysis and Pumping \(BLA\) course & Conference](#)
Las Vegas, NV

Oct 9-10, 2013

[IGSHPA Technical Conference and Expo](#)
Las Vegas, NV



American operations in 2012 after serving as CEO of the UK Worcester Bosch TT Division Group.

Members Asked to Confirm Directory Information

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Question and Answer with IGSHPA Keynote Speaker, Eric Corey Freed

A recent National Driller article, "[IGSHPA Keynote: Installers Must Act as Geothermal 'Evangelists'](#)," presents a question and answer with Eric Corey Freed. Freed will be the keynote speaker at the 2013 IGSHPA Technical Conference & Expo.

Geothermal Heating and Cooling Myths

The Great Energy Challenge blog by Brian Clark Howard of National Geographic recently featured an article by Jay Egg titled "[Ten Myths about Geothermal Heating and Cooling](#)." The article addresses common misconceptions about geothermal heating and cooling.

IKEA Store to be Kansas' Largest Geothermal Project

The IKEA store opening in Merriam, Kansas in Fall 2014 will be the state's largest geothermal heating and cooling project. Head over to the [IKEA Merriam](#) website for press releases, updates and more. [Major Geothermal](#) has been contracted for the project.

Washington Fire House Utilizes GSHP and Wins ASHRAE Award

Issaquah, Washington's Eastside Fire & Rescue Station 72 has received an ASHRAE First Place award using GSHP technology. A 2013 ASHRAE Technology Award Case Study is featured in the September 2013 ASHRAE Journal and on their website at ashrae.org. The station utilizes ground-source heat pumps for space conditioning and domestic water heating in a super-insulated building, and has projected energy model performance of 58 percent better than the base case energy model.

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